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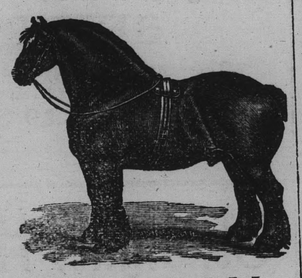

**POLLOCK**
—AND—
**GLYDEBOY.**

Will make the season of 1898, commencing March 1st and closing July 1st, will be at the following places each week:
SONOMA.....Sundays and Mondays
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POLLOCK is a beautiful dapple brown, with black points, ratch on forehead; is 18 hands high and weighs 1900 pounds; very symmetrical in form and is the Champion Walker, winning first prize two years in succession, making the fastest mile ever made with one ton of weight and driver on wagon. POLLOCK has a beautiful mane and tail. For disposition he cannot be beat and is a remarkable good breeder and a very sure foal-getter. POLLOCK'S sire Model Prince, prize-winner of Victoria, Australia; g. sire Landsman, prize winner of Highland Society Shows and other places; g. g. sire Prince of Kilbride, prize winner of the Highland Shows at Perth and Sterling in 1872; g. g. g. sire Large Jock; g. g. g. g. sire Old Clyde; g. g. g. g. g. sire Scotchman. Dam sire imported Pollock, the best horse that Martin ever imported; 2d dam sire Glancer; 3d dam sire Salmonde Champion; 4th dam sire alias Clydeboy; 5th dam sire Farmer.

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Who, if she knew not fauns or satyrs,
Had conjured oft in mossy shade
Visions of savage paleface haters!
I trow she dined on pork and maize
In cabin single roomed and sooted,
Quite innocent of frills and stays,
Warm hearted and barefooted.

Her beauty surely brought her note.
Perchance the frankness of her manners
Gossip o'er racy tales did gloat
To prove her scruples not Diana's,
But when the hero husband came
He crushed the scandal pests like vermin.
A terror hedged the hero's name,
And she was white as ermine.

Thenceforth, a matron fair and fat,
She shared the doting hero's station.
Thais with Alexander sat
And heard the plaudits of a nation.
What though small souls, with furtive leer,
Revived old rumors of dishonor?
The hero held her yet more dear
And stainless as Madonna.

Weary of fortune's smile and frown,
She died without the White House portal,
But never wife wore richer crown,
A hero's troth and love immortal.
That love had made a queen of her
Whom haughty dames turned prudish backs on,
And history smiles, but has no slur
For Mistress Andrew Jackson.
—Wilbur Larremore in Bachelor of Arts.

## SOMEWHAT MIXED.

**An Enigma Which Broke Up the Answers to Correspondents Editor.**

"Mister, do you write the 'Answers to Correspondents' for this paper?" asked the stranger with the despondent countenance as he leaned across the desk and heaved a rye tinged sigh through the atmosphere.

"Yes, sir. What can I do for you?"

"Can you answer a little question of relationship?"

"Give me the facts, and I'll try."

"Here you are: When I was a baby, my mother, a widow, married the brother of my father's first wife. He was my uncle, of course, but that made him my father, didn't it?"

"Your stepfather, you mean."

"Yes. Well, mother got a divorce from my uncle-father, and then she married the oldest son of my father's first wife. He was my half brother, wasn't he, and also my stepfather, wasn't he?"

"It looks as if he was."

"That made mother my half sister, didn't it?"

"I—I—I guess it did."

"That's what I thought. Well, you see, my uncle-father had a daughter before he married mother. She was my half sister, too, wasn't she?"

"I—I—I—I guess she was."

"That's the way I put it up. Next thing was my mother got a divorce from my brother-father, and he—my half brother, you know—married my half sister. That made her a kind of stepmother of mine, didn't it?"

"I—I—I"—

"Well, never mind answering yet. My half-brother-stepfather died, and now my half-sister-stepmother and I want to get married, but we can't figure out if we can without being arrested for some kind of thingamy. We don't want to have our tire punctured just as we get to scorching on the matrimonial tandem. What I want you to tell me is what is my relationship to my brother, my uncle, my stepfathers, my half sisters, my mother, my half brother, my stepmother and myself, and if I can marry her without—why, what's the matter?"

The "Answers to Correspondents" editor had become unconscious. — San Francisco Examiner.

**Lincoln and Jeff Davis.**

Malcolm Townsend has pointed out coincidences of events in the lives of Lincoln and Jeff Davis. Both were born in Kentucky—Lincoln in 1809, Davis in 1808. Both removed from their native state in childhood, Davis going to the southwest, Lincoln to the northwest. In the Black Hawk war Davis was a second lieutenant of regulars, Lincoln a captain of volunteers. Both began their political career at the same period, 1844, Davis being a presidential elector for Henry Clay. Both were elected to congress at about the same time, Davis in 1845, Lincoln in 1846. Lastly, in the same year and almost the same day, they were called on to preside over the destinies of their respective governments, Davis as president of the Confederate states, Feb. 8, 1861, and Lincoln as president of the United States, March 4, 1861.—New York Press.

**His English.**

"Well, you have a fine shop here," said the customer as he settled himself down to be shaved.

"Yah!" said the barber.

"But I don't think much of the outside."

"No; dot is not in it," said the barber.

"That's a good one," said the customer, laughing.

The barber flushed.

"Vat for you laugh at me?" he cried in anger. "You t'ink I understand not English?"—New York Sun.

**Reforming.**

"Your money or your life!" shouted the footpad.

"I have no money," said the victim, "and my life will be of no use to you."

"I don't know about that," replied the footpad. "I have been thinking for some time of trying a new life."—Philadelphia North American.

**A Spur to Pride.**

"It does a man good to be rejected by a girl."

"Why?"

"It makes him pitch in and marry a more attractive girl."—Chicago Record.

The omnibuses of one London company covered just about 20,000,000 miles in the course of a year, the distance sufficient to take them nearly three times around the world every day.

Amethyst quartz varies in color from very light blue to very dark yellow, then green, then transparent. Its coloring is due to manganese.

## FOMENTATIONS.

**How to Prepare Them When No Hot Water Is at Hand.**

Fomentations of hot or cold water are often very useful, and every one should know how to give them. A flannel cloth may be folded, wrung out of hot or cold water as is desired and applied directly to the skin. It is much better after wringing out the flannel as dry as desired to fold it in a dry flannel cloth of one or two thicknesses before applying it to the patient. A little time is required for the heat of the fomentation to penetrate the dry flannel, and thus the skin is allowed an opportunity to acquire tolerance for the heat, and a higher degree of temperature can be borne if the moist cloth is brought directly into contact with the surface. The outer fold of dry flannel will also serve to keep the cloth warm by preventing evaporation.

A hot fomentation is sometimes needed when no hot water is at hand. It is not necessary to wait for water to be heated in the usual way. Soak the flannel in cold water, wring as dry as desired, fold in a newspaper and lay upon the stove or wrap it about the stovepipe. In a few minutes it will be as warm as the patient can bear. The paper keeps the pipe from becoming moistened by the wet flannel and at the same time prevents the flannel from being soiled by contact with the pipe.

Fomentations thoroughly applied will relieve most of the local pains for which liniments, lotions and poultices are generally applied and are greatly to be preferred to these remedies since they are cleaner and aid nature more effectually in restoring the injured parts to a sound condition.

The fomentation may be changed frequently, and after it has been removed massage may be given either by the person himself or another, so as to strengthen the part and promote a better circulation of blood in it.—Exchange.

## KITTIES IN A JUNKSHOP.

**They Are Old Sewing Machines That Are Bought For $1.**

"Got any kitties?"

The junk dealer looked startled, for the question betokened an intimate knowledge of the jargon of his kind.

"Why, yes, I guess so," he responded when he could get his breath. What the buyer meant was an old sewing machine which could be turned in to the sewing machine company as part payment on a new machine. The company allows $5 on an old machine, and sometimes the agent or canvasser allows $5 more out of his commission on the sale.

The public imagines that in some way these old machines are valuable to the company, but, in truth, they are of use only as arguments in forcing a sale. In the standard makes of machines there is supposed to be absolutely no cut in prices, and the only way that a seeming reduction can be made is by taking in an old machine and allowing for it. The company does this not for the sake of getting the machine, but for the sake of making a trade. Once the old timer is in their possession it is broken up and sold to a junk dealer.

The companies know, of course, that a large number of the families who turn in old machines said to have been bought by them before the flood really come from the secondhand stores and cost only $1. At this rate the buyer gets an allowance of $10, which, deducting the $1, leaves net $9. If there does happen to be an old one in the possession of the family, the whole $10 is realized.—New York Press.

**Midnight Harmonies.**

The quaint old English church poet George Herbert was walking to Salisbury one evening to join a musical party when he met a poor man with a poorer horse that had fallen under his load. They were both in distress, and Mr. Herbert pulled off his coat and helped the man to unload his horse. He then gave him some money and left him. At his arriving at Salisbury his friends wondered at his coming into their company so soiled and discomposed. He explained the cause, and when one remarked that he had disparaged himself by so dirty an employment he answered that the thought of what he had done would prove music to him at midnight and that the omission of it would have upbraided and made discord in his conscience. "For if I am bound to pray for all that be in distress so far as it is in my power I am to practice what I pray for, and, let me tell you, I would not willingly pass one day of my life without comforting a sad soul or showing mercy, and I bless God for this occasion. These are the places in which to attune one's conscience to midnight music."

**M. D., F. R. S.**

An eminent physician and Fellow of the Royal Society, seeing over the door of a paltry alehouse, the Crown and Thistle, by Malcolm MacTavish, M. D., F. R. S., walked in and severely rebuked the landlord for this presumptuous insult to science. Boniface, with proper respect, but with a firmness that showed he had been a soldier, assured the doctor that he meant no insult to science. "What right, then," asked he, "have you to put up those letters after your name?"

"I have," answered the landlord, "as good a right to these as your honor, as drum major of the Royal Scots fusileers."—Sanitarium.

**The Modern Drama.**

"Have you copyrighted your play?" asked the theatrical manager.

"No," replied the dramatist, lowering his voice, "but I copied it right."—Chicago Tribune.

When a man loses an ear, by paying from $100 to $125 he can procure another made of specially prepared rubber that can be crumpled without injury and is carefully painted to resemble the natural organ.

## UNCLE SAM 10 CENTS AHEAD.

**Five Envelopes Out of a Bunch That He Wouldn't Redeem.**

A reporter went into the New York postoffice the other day with a bundle of misdirected stamped envelopes in his pocket to see if Uncle Sam would not redeem them for cash. He found a window in a room on the second floor, where this is the special business attended to. Uncle Sam's representative looked over the lot of envelopes, handed back five, with the cash for the others, and said:

"You will have to take a trip to Falls City, Neb.; Columbus, Ga.; Newark, N. J., and Brooklyn to get those four redeemed, and here is one we won't redeem at all. You see, it is this way: It does not matter where an envelope is addressed to; the point is where it comes from—what postoffice issued it. A postoffice can only redeem envelopes which it has issued itself. If an envelope shows on the face of it that some other office issued it, I can't give you cash for it.

"Now look at this one. Here in the corner is a note, 'After ten days return to Mr. Blank, Falls City, Neb.' Evidently the Falls City postoffice issued that, and you will have to go there to get it redeemed if you are fond of long distance economy of that sort. These envelopes here with no 'Return to' note may have been issued by some other office, but we have no means of knowing it and take them on faith. Here is one marked, 'Return to P. O. box 2,856, New York city.' We will take that, for we evidently issued iit. The principle is simple, even if its workings look complicated."

The reporter reminded the clerk that he had refused one envelope altogether. The clerk took it up and looked at it. It had no "Return to" note in the corner, but the name and address were printed on it.

"Well, you see, that comes under a different rule," he continued. "The idea is to redeem envelopes which have been misdirected by accident. This man has spoiled this envelope to help on his business, sending it to some correspondent inclosed with a letter asking for a business order likely. He expected the other man to use this envelope only in writing to him and to keep him in mind of it he printed his address on it. He did not intend to furnish free stamps for his business acquaintances unless he got them back on letters to himself. His correspondent—you in this case—either did not send him an order or sent it in a new envelope. Now you want to get back 2 cents. The business man spent that 2 cents simply to boom his business. Uncle Sam is not booming any one's business, even to the extent of 2 cents, except where all share alike through general prosperity. You cannot get that envelope redeemed anywhere."

The reporter thanked the clerk. After calculating the cost of a trip to Nebraska, Georgia, Newark and Brooklyn and comparing it with the value of the four stamped envelopes which might be redeemed by it he concluded it was cheaper on the whole to drop the envelopes in the waste paper basket.—New York Sun.

**Africans and Work.**

All hard labor, all rough and unskilled labor, is, and owing to the heat of the climate must be, done by blacks, and in a new country like Matabeleland the blacks, though they can sometimes be induced to till the land, are most averse to working underground. They are only beginning to use money, and they do not want the things which money buys. The wants of a native living with his tribe and cultivating mealies or Kaffir corn are confined to a baross (skin cloak) or some pieces of cotton. The prospect of leaving his tribe to go and work in a mine in order that he may earn wages wherewith he can buy things that he has no use for does not at once appeal to him.

The white men, anxious to get to work on the gold reefs, are annoyed at what they call the stupidity and laziness of the native and usually clamor for legislation to compel the natives to come and work, adding, of course, that regular labor would be the best thing for the natives.—"Impressions of South Africa" by James Bryce.

**Thomas Hood.**

Hood's position in literature has been affected by the circumstance that he did two things excellently which in the general view are incompatible, in which case popular opinion generally fixes on the inferior gift as representing the writer's real capacity. He was a "funny man" as well as a lyric poet of real quality and earnest aims and was so admirable and original in the former and more abundant character that it probably caused many to regard the serious verse as merely an ambitious bid for a reputation it was not in the writer's power to achieve. Hood doubtless helped to strengthen this impression by practically ceasing to produce serious poetry for some 15 years of his short life. But that this was due to a necessity for finding a ready market for his wares is, I think, beyond a doubt.—Ainger's "Poems of Thomas Hood."

**To Be Washed With Care.**

"Yes," said the man whose narratives are almost invariably interesting, "I had some curious experiences in that mining country. One day I met two children with the dirtiest faces I ever beheld."

"Poor things!"

"That's what I thought. I said to them, 'Children, why don't you wash your faces?' and one of them answered: 'We dasen't. We've been playin on pap's best claim, and he's liable to lose money if anybody touches us but him.'"—Washington Star.

**A Good Imitation.**

The other day an amateur artist was producing some rapid sketches to amuse his children. He drew a sketch of a hen so naturally that when it was afterward thrown in the waste paper basket it laid there.—London Fun.

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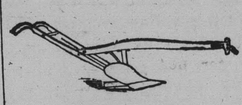

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SONOMA, APRIL 30, 1898.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

# WAR NEWS

## SPANISH FORT DESTROYED ---100 OF THE ENEMY KILLED.

## Over Thirteen Prizes, Valued at $4,000,000, Captured from the Spaniards.

### THE AMERICANS SO FAR HAVE LOST NO SHIPS OR MEN.

**Big Naval Battle Expected this Morning --- Spanish Spy Captured—He will be Courtmartialed and Shot to Death.**

So far the war with Spain has been a one-sided affair.

The United States warships have captured up to date over thirteen Spanish vessels, valued at between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000.

The squadron under command of Admiral Sampson has destroyed the fortress Mantanzas, and killed one hundred Spanish soldiers who had the temerity to fire upon the Admiral's fleet.

A Spanish spy named Wurtz has been captured in New Orleans and will be court-martialed and promptly shot to death by Gen. Graham.

The sneaky tactics of the Spaniards is now apparent. So far five powder mills have been blown up in different parts of the United States and Mexico, and the work was no doubt accomplished by Spanish spies.

The long-expected naval battle between the American and Spanish war ships will probably take place this morning near Manila.

The United States troops are preparing to invade Cuba and will receive marching orders within a week or two days.

APROPOS to the defeat of the bond proposition last Tuesday we would rise to remark that a certain individual in this town, who is engaged in the unlawful business of selling lottery tickets, opposed the proposition because he was afraid the Trustees might get a commission out of the sale of the bonds. It may not be generally known, but it is nevertheless a fact, that between $200 and $300 is sent out of this town every month for the purpose of enriching the various lottery schemes that have for their purpose the fleecing of the unwary. This money would pay the interest on a water plant twice over and it is a shame that it should be diverted from the legitimate channels of trade.

EVERY minute since the destruction of the Maine has been precious to those who were preparing for war. The cry in Congress, and out of Congress for years has been that the United States was absolutely unprepared for war both as to its navy and its coast defenses and those familiar with the situation recognize the wisdom of the President's course in refusing to accede to the demand for instant action until such steps could be taken as to put the Government and the country upon a war footing.

## ROAD SPRINKLING.

MANY of the most prominent and wealthy farmers of the San Luis Road District are up in arms against the abandonment of road sprinkling in their district. They claim, and not without good cause, too, that the county was put to considerable expense last year in digging wells, purchasing sprinkling carts, etc., and that to abandon the experiment now would prove a dead loss on the investment. Many of the richest farmers of San Luis say that there has not been a fair expression of opinion as to whether or not San Luis favors the sprinkling of the roads in that district. That the petition for and against the proposition has never been presented to them and that if it had been they would have signed for sprinkling first, last and all the time. They say that it has been proven cheaper, wherever tried, than graveling, to say nothing of the sanitary benefits. That it will make pleasant driveways out of the county roads and cause them to be free from dust during the summer and fall months.

There is a certain element in town and valley that is opposed to everything having for its purpose the beautifying and enriching of our properties. They don't want prosperity for fear some one else will share it with them. They want no sprinkling for our county roads, no water for the town, no nothing unless it directly benefits their individual property and that of no one else. To these we say avast.

All the other road districts in the valley, excepting San Luis, are digging wells, erecting windmills and preparing to inaugurate a thorough system of road sprinkling the coming summer. The trouble with that district, which is the richest in the valley, appears to be that it is a little too near Sonoma and its anti-water fiends. There must be some affinity between the two communities when it comes to kicking against public improvements.

THE Santa Rosa *Republican* says that the water advocates lacked 23 votes of having the necessary two-thirds to carry the water proposition as required by law. This is a misstatement. Only 7 votes were lacking.

### A Big Estate.

The will of the late Mrs. Gioconda Gianella has been filed for probate. The estate is valued at $102,892.90. The estate consists of the following property: One-half interest in the Sebastopol ranch of 330 acres, $7,250; one-half interest in the house and lot on Sonoma avenue, $1,750; 600 acres of land in the so-called Henry G. Brooks ranch, $5,500; city lot in Santa Rosa, $500; about 2,000 acres of land in Los Guilicos Valley, $25,000; 547 acres near Duncan's Mills, $3,000; one-half interest in 400 acres of land in Yuba county, $8,000.

The personal property is valued as follows: One-half interest in 75 shares of stock of the Savings Bank of Santa Rosa, $5.625; one-half interest in 27 promissory notes, $32,985; unsecured notes and cash, $11,342.90.

The Sebastopol ranch of 330 acres goes to the children of the two daughters, subject to a life estate of the parents in the land. Half of the 400 acres of land in Yuba county goes to the children of Vincenzo Gianella and the other half to Agostino Gianella, batchelor son of deceased.

The balance of the estate goes to the grandchildren of the deceased and to the unmarried son, subject to the provision that the rents, issues and profits of the estate shall go to the four children above named during their lives.

The property disposed of by the instrument just filed comprises about half of the original Lorenzo Gianella estate which was valued at considerably over $200,000.

### Died at Kenwood.

Mrs. Jane Ormsby, mother of Mrs. J. D. Yost, passed away at the home of her daughter in Kenwood Monday morning. The deceased was eighty-three years of age and her death was due partly to old age and partly to heart failure. On the early train Tuesday morning the remains were conveyed from Kenwood to San Francisco, where they will repose in the family vault.

Mrs. Ormsby was deeply and truly loved by all who knew her.

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## COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY J.

The issue in the matter of the estate of Jas. Porter was submitted and taken under advisement by Judge Dougherty.

The will of the late Rev. Dr. J. A. Shepherd was admitted to probate and Elizabeth D. Porter was appointed executrix without bonds.

The third annual account was settled in the estate and guardianship of James McGraw, an incompetent person.

In the matter of the estate of Babetta Meyer the court sustained and denied certain grounds of the demurrer. A motion to make the demurrer more definite was also denied.

R. L. Yarbrough was appointed guardian of the estate of Frederick B. Yarbrough, a minor, in a bond of $50.

These probate matters were continued: Estates of Geo. F. Clark, Emily D. Mothorn, Priscilla Wilson, to May 2nd; estate of Louis L. Pollinque to May 9th.

A petition for the sale of real estate in the estate of Charles S. Blackburn was dismissed.

The motion for a new trial in Beattie vs. Crewdson, a suit to quiet title to lands, was argued and submitted to the court.

DEPARTMENT TWO—BURNETT, J.

The trial of perjury against J. H. Kearney was continued to be set for trial until May 2nd.

These cases were continued: J. D. Campbell vs. Geo. O. Campbell, Susie F. Enos vs. Rachael J. Snyder, Ney L. Donovan vs. F. W. Weems, to May 2nd.

The demurrer was overruled and ten days to amend in the suit of the Sonoma Lumber Company vs. G. W. Patton.

The will of Ex-Senator J. S. Enos was admitted to probate. E. S. Lippitt is executor without bonds.

The argument in the suit brought by A. J. Van Every against Jas. Campbell was heard and the case was submitted to the court.

These cases were continued Monday afternoon: Nathan vs. Otis and Frank S. Turner vs. Mathene Clark, to May 2nd.

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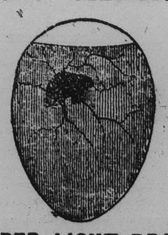

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**Miracles and Dilettanteism.**

"He (Pugin) visited Sant' Andrea della Fratte, the scene of the miraculous conversion of Abbe Ratisbonne, the Jew. Abbe Ratisbonne entered the church a Jew and came out a Christian, having seen there, he stated, a vision of our Lady. 'The story,' Pugin said after seeing the church, 'is demonstrably false. The man could not have said a prayer in such a hideous church. Our Lady could not have chosen such a church for a vision. The man could have had no piety in him to have staid in such a church at all.'

"The friend to whom his remarks were addressed replied, 'As I heard the story, Ratisbonne was not at the moment praying, but thinking of the uncouthness of the architecture of the place.' Pugin's whole face changed. 'Is that so? Then he was a man of God. He knew what true Christianity was, though he was a Jew. I honor him. Our Lady would have come to him anywhere. The story is demonstrably true.'"—"Life of Cardinal Wiseman," by Wilfrid Ward.

**Duck Eggs In an Albumen Factory.**

Near Chingkiang, China, is a great albumen factory for the utilization of the duck eggs which are produced in that region in enormous quantities, flocks of 4,000 and 5,000 ducks being by no means uncommon. The eggs are broken at the rate of from 40,000 to 60,000 per day by women, who separate the white from the yolk, the former being carefully cleaned and dried until they resemble fish glue, when they are packed in 400 pound cases lined with zinc. The yolks are passed through sieves into 25 gallon receptacles, mixed with a salt and borax solution, packed in 500 pound barrels and used in Europe for preparing and dressing articles of superior quality. The albumen finds a ready market in England, France and Germany for dyes for the best cotton goods.—Philadelphia Press.

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# LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

### Death of Mrs. Sarah Champlin.

Mrs. Sarah A. Champlin, one of Sonoma Valley's pioneer ladies, passed peacefully away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Agnew, last Saturday afternoon after a short illness. Mrs. Champlin was well-known to every man, woman and child in Sonoma Valley, where she located with her husband, the late C. C. Champlin, in 1856. During her residence here she figured prominently in Congregational Church circles and was known as a true, conscientious Christian woman. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. S. J. Agnew and A. W. Champlin of this valley and Mrs. Shaver of Washington.

The funeral was held from the Champlin place last Monday, the remains being laid to rest beside those of her late husband in Cypress Hill Cemetery, Petaluma.

### Road Sprinkling.

A large number of wells to be used in sprinkling county roads between Caliente and Glen Ellen are being dug under the supervision of Supervisor Putnam. The water from these wells will be raised to the surface by windmills, which will be erected by J. G. Marcy of this place, who has secured the contract for supplying and erecting the same. It is the intention of Supervisor Putnam to inaugurate a thorough system of road sprinkling in this township the coming summer.

### Brevities.

Edelmann's Red Seal Sarsaparilla, the only true blood medicine.

There will be a regular meeting of the City Trustees next Wednesday evening.

Tanks and dairy fixtures at Camm & Hedges, 960 Washington street, Petaluma. *

Wm. Trudgen is engaged in laying a stone curbing and cement sidewalk on Ed. Wegner's corner.

The Tiger Oil Company held forth in Union Hall on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights last.

Camm & Hedges, 960 Washington street, Petaluma, dealers in doors, windows, moldings and all kinds of mill work. *

The weather the past week has been very favorable for grapes and a good yield is anticipated in this valley.

The Sonoma Valley hay fields, notwithstanding the drouth, will turn out very fair crops, even though no more rain falls this spring.

Joseph Kiser, recently arrested at Glen Ellen for firing several shots at a party of young hunters who objected to his company, has been discharged from custody.

Robt. Clark of Agua Caliente enjoys the distinction of cutting the first hay in this valley this season. The yield was fair, the field being thickly dotted with hay cocks.

Miss Louisa Wilson, who has been a missionary to the Caroline Islands the past five years, returned to Sonoma Thursday evening. Miss Wilson was born and raised in this place and her many friends will be pleased to learn of her return.

LOST—Between Sonoma and the Nick Carriger ranch, a ladies purse containing small sum of money and pass on street cars in Sacramento in the name of Miss Alice Lewis. Return to this office and receive reward. *

Ben. C. Pohley, a Sonoma boy born and raised in this place, after an eight-and-a-half years service as fireman on one of the engines of the San Francisco & North Pacific Railway, was promoted last week to the position of engineer. Ben. is one of the most faithful employees of the Donahue system and his many friends congratulate him on his staying qualities and promotion.

# WATER PROPOSITION DEFEATED.

### LACKS SEVEN VOTES OF THE NECESSARY TWO-THIRDS.

### City Trustees to Immediately Re-Submit the Proposition to the Voters.

The much-discussed bond election was held last Tuesday and resulted in the defeat of the proposition by only seven votes.

Trustees Davis, Duhring, Hartin, Harris and Seipp will immediately re-submit the proposition to the voters, as water this town must and will have, the opposition of self-interest silurians to the contrary notwithstanding.

The people of Sonoma are earnest in this matter and will assert their rights in a most emphatic manner at the next election.

The defeat of the water proposition is a disgrace to Sonoma and those that have assisted to down the progressive people of the town by working and voting against one of the best propositions ever advanced for the town's interest have nothing to crow about.

Following was the vote:

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| Yes | 90 |
| No | 56 |

# GLEN ELLEN ITEMS

Jas. Cowan and family drove down to Sonoma last Sunday, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Small.

Farm Superintendent Ping of the California Home, accompanied by his daughter, drove down to Sonoma one day this week.

John Hendley, being informed that two Spanish cruisers are lying in the vicinity of Kenwood, has placed on the roof of his hotel a large cannon—a big bore stove pipe mounted on a dry goods box.

Saturday will be Grangers' day in Glen Ellen. All necessary arrangements have been made for the picnic at Glen Ellen Park and a large crowd is expected. The dance in the evening at Mervyn Hall will be one of the main attractions.

Mrs. L. H. Pockman of San Francisco is sojourning at the Mervyn. On Sunday Mr. Pockman, who is business manager of Wakeley's drug store, San Francisco, came up for a day's fishing in Sonoma Creek. His wife accompanied him and together they caught thirty fine trout, varying in length from eight to twelve inches.

Mrs. B. Haustein of San Francisco is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrison of the Mervyn Hotel, Glen Ellen. Mrs. B is delighted with the Mervyn and its hospitable proprietors and will remain several months, much to the delight of the other guests, as she is a fine musician and does more than her share toward making it pleasant for everybody in the house.

### Sunday at the Memorial M. E. Church.

Dr. McClish, President of the University of the Pacific, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Dedicatorial services will follow the sermon.

Mrs. Weems is to sing.

Special services have been prepared.

A prominent organist will open the new organ.

Rev. C. F. Withrow will be present and take part in the service.

Dr. Mathews, D. D., is expected to preach in the evening.

Miss Amanda Goodrich will lead the young peoples meeting in the evening.

The Rev. Sam Jones, the Georgia evangelist, was holding a series of meetings at a church whose pastor was noted for his lack of good looks. One evening at a revival service, as he was talking about the sin of hyprocrisy and duplicity, he—in a sudden gleam of characteristic humor—turned around to the pastor, sitting in the pulpit behind him, and said, amid a whirlwind of laughter: "Well, John, your congregation can never accuse you of being a two-faced man, can they? For the Lord knows that if you had another face you'd wear it, wouldn't you."—*May Ladies' Home Journal.*

The memorial M. E. Church will be dedicated to-morrow. Dr. McClish of the University of the Pacific, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hotle and other divines, will conduct the ceremonies.

# WHAT IS BEING SAID

### Pointers Secured by Our Man Around Town.

That Sonoma got a black eye last Tuesday.

That those who were instrumental in downing the water proposition now feel very small.

That there are more sneaks in this town to the square yard than in any other city in California.

That the two-faced importation on Broadway is too cowardly to come out for or against a water proposition.

That there is enough money sent out of this town every year for lottery tickets to pay the interest on a $50,000 water system.

That Henry Bates is cleaning up his place with a new coat of whitewash and has to carry water from a neighboring wind mill to mix it with.

That those who voted against the water proposition last Tuesday voted against the interests of this town. That many of these already regret their hasty action.

That if all the people who claimed to have voted for water last Tuesday cast their ballots as they say they did the opposition would not have polled twenty-five votes.

That the water proposition will surely carry on the second trial if the City Trustees will adopt some practical system and submit that particular system to the voters. That, "Oh, I don't know!"

That there are a lot of people in this town who ought to take up their residence in the boneyard and let Sonoma go ahead. That until the devil gets them sure there will be no hope for what ought to be the prettiest and richest town in Northern California.

That that road sprinkling petition ought to be circulated among the farmers of the San Luis district. That many of them claim to have been treated unfairly in the matter in so far as having been given an opportunity to sign the petition.

That Geo. Breitenbach says "Why don't Granice leave town, now that the water proposition has been defeated." That Granice says this town is going to be given a water system by Trustees Davis, Duhring, Harris, Seipp and Hartin, assisted by the people, and that the editor of the INDEX-TRIBUNE has no occasion to pack up his duds and get out.

That the churches of Sonoma ought to start a war against the unlawful dealing in lottery tickets in this town. That the lottery, aside from being a rank swindle, is a demoralizing, unlawful gambling game that buncoes the people of this town and valley out of at least $250 per month. That this sum would pay the interest on a $50,000 water system.

That Capt. Peter Hein, the popular drawbridge tender, has received a cipher dispatch from the Naval Department to securely lock the drawbridge in order to prevent the Spanish war vessels from passing up Sonoma Creek and bombarding Sonoma. However, if they succeed in passing the drawbridge immediately upon their arrival at Embarcadero they will be taken into custody by Deputy Sheriff Ohm and delivered to the authorities at Mare Island.

That the anti-water advocates say this is the way editor Granice felt

last Tuesday evening after the water proposition had been declared defeated because it lacked only 7 of carrying by a two-thirds vote.

### School Census.

Jas. H. Albertson, Census Marshal for the Sonoma School District, has been engaged the past few weeks in taking the school census. So far he has secured the names of 308 children. He expects to complete his labors to-day.

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# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

### And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Rev. Partridge of Petaluma was in town Sunday.

Miss Elsie Appleton visited San Francisco this week.

It is said there will be a light cherry crop in this valley.

Julius Fochetti transacted business in Petaluma last Sunday.

J. Eppertshausen of San Francisco was in town last Sunday.

Thos. Monahan of San Francisco was in town last Sunday.

Rev. Chas E. Chase was a visitor to Petaluma Monday.

A slight earthquake was felt here Tuesday morning.

B. Spencer contemplates a trip this season to the land of gold—Klondike.

Mrs. Robt. Hill took last Saturday's train for a short visit to San Francisco.

City Trustees Harris and Hartin had business in San Francisco last Wednesday.

Frank Tate, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Rue Tate, visited Petaluma last Saturday.

J. M. Cheney, Jas. H. Albertson and A. J. Van Every attended court in Santa Rosa last Monday.

Mrs. Susie Enos was up from the city Sunday looking after her recent purchase on Broadway.

Mrs. H. C. Lutgens and son Harry returned from the city last Monday evening to their Sonoma home.

Miss Helen Tobin, the well-known artist of Los Gatos, Santa Clara county, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kerner.

Mrs. M. Donahue has returned to her home at Embarcadero from a visit with her children in the metropolis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Marti returned last Monday from a short visit with her sister, Mrs. V. Reidi of Petaluma.

The Misses Humphreys have returned home after spending several days attending the Epworth League Convention, held in San Francisco last week.

There will be but three scholars to graduate from our High School next June, to wit: Miss Kate Morris, Miss Mabel Thomas and Wm. Chase.

Frank Burris, Peter Keil and Gus Cornelius returned Tuesday from their outing in Lake and Mendocino counties.

Mrs. Chas. N. Cheney went up to Davisville last Wednesday morning, where she is visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. W. Greenberg, after residing in this place two years, removed to San Francisco last Tuesday.

Capt. Jas. Landy of the dredger L. E. Cross visited his mother in this place last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Josie Gise and family, after enjoying a visit of several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bates, returned to their home at Benicia last Thursday.

Joseph K. Tate of this place and Alletta Lee Brown of Los Gatos were married in Redwood City on February 2nd. The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. M. Hester at his residence in that city.

R. A. Merrill, an old-time Sonoma resident, is visiting with the family of J. Barnard. Mr. Merrill at one time owned the Brandt ranch and is well-known in this valley. He now resides in Alameda county.

Mrs. Chas. Otto and her two daughters, Misses Fanny and Charlotte, spent Sunday on the Muser ranch. Mrs. Otto is an old resident of this valley. She is a sister of Mr. Ferdinand Ehrlich and resided near Sonoma forty years ago. Mrs. Otto will lease a cottage in this place for herself and family and will spend the summer among us.

M. M. Heinemen, wholesale dealer and manufacturer of wall paper, Napere Park, N. Y., was in town last Sunday. Mr. Heinemen, hearing of the fame of the lovely Sonoma Valley through the columns of its local newspaper, the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, journeyed hither to seek out a home for himself and family. He intends locating here and has his eye on a $50,000 piece of property in the near vicinity of Sonoma.

Little Spencer Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris, is in San Francisco under the care of Dr. A. McLaughlin. The little fellow is suffering from an injury to his knee cap and it is feared hip trouble will result unless proper medical treatment is given. Dr. McLaughlin has put the limb in a plaster cast and will do all in his power to restore his charge to his former good health.

Wm. Hotle, brother of Rev. O. E. Hotle, is visiting at this home near Sebastopol.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrison and a party of friends drove down from Glen Ellen last Monday.

Miss King, daughter of Rev. King of Napa, accompanied by a young lady friend, visited Sonoma one day this week.

John McMinn, Jr., is down from Santa Rosa and will have charge of the U. S. bonded warehouse for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Heggie, accompanied by Miss Elisa Aguillon, are sojourning in the Santa Cruz mountains, where they will remain one month.

Mrs. Frank Schorr of San Francisco is the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. J. Stademan of Schellville. Mrs. Schorr is accompanied by her children and will remain about two weeks.

Dr. B. McLain of San Francisco has rented the Greenberg place on Broadway. Dr. McLain is an eminent physician in the metropolis and with his family intends making this his permanent home.

Mrs. Geo. Estes and family will return shortly and occupy their home on Broadway. Mr. and Mrs. Estes moved to San Francisco several years ago, but on account of failing health they have now decided to return to their old Sonoma home.

The marriage of Miss Tammy Law and Mr. Walter Bevington of Dunsmuir, Siskiyou county, was solemnized at high noon last Sunday. The residence of the bride's parents had been tastefully decorated for the occasion with flowers and in the center of the parlor hung a wedding bell of snow balls, under which the contracting parties stood while the marriage ceremony of the Episcopal Church was performed by the Rev. J. Partridge of Petaluma. After receiving congratulations and partaking of a wedding feast Mr. and Mrs. Bevington left on the Southern Pacific train for San Jose, where they will spend a short honeymoon before returning to their home at Dunsmuir. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Law of this place and has many friends in Sonoma Valley. Mr. Bevington is conductor of the freight train running between Ashland, Oregon, and Dunsmuir.

### American Secureties Abroad.

The sales of American securities have been, according to London advices, very large abroad of late. If this state of things holds, there will be an increasing influx of British gold into this market. This demonstrates the faith abroad in the stability of our credit. There is another point of faith for which the people not only of this but foreign countries have good grounds for credence, and that is belief in the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for inorganic maladies which affect the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys and nerves. Dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation and rheumatism are conquered by it. It hastens convalescence, and diffuses a generous warmth and sensation of physical comfort throughout the system.

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Jack Stademan visited San Francisco relatives on Sunday last.

Mrs. M. Pohley, accompanied by baby Edward, visited relatives at Tiburon last Sunday.

Adam Adler, who has been confined to his bed with a fever the past week, is now on the mend.

Mrs. J. B. Small, Miss Eda Gillan and a party of relatives and friends will take in the Granger's picnic at Glen Ellen to-day.

Miss Clara Cheney and Clarence Cheney are visiting in San Francisco to-day.

Mrs. Hotle has returned to her home near Sebastopol, after a delightful visit with her sons, Rev. O. E. and Wm. Hotle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schuster will return soon from Nevada City, where they have been enjoying the festivities of the Grand Parlor of Native Sons.

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### A Rare Coincidence.

While lunching picnic fashion upon the Mer de Glace a party of tourists were surprised by a woman who, letter in hand, emerged from the neighboring hotel. The party consisted of husband and wife, two daughters, a young girl friend who was traveling with them and a courier and guide. The woman eyed the crowd for a minute, and, then, rushing straight up to the young girl, she asked her to mail the letter. "It will get there so much sooner if you don't mind carrying it down with you," said the woman; "otherwise I shall have to wait until tomorrow when the regular postman comes." The whole proceeding was so sudden and so characteristic of women that the girl was inclined to laugh, but she pocketed the letter and promised to mail it as requested.

"Your face was your fortune that time," remarked the man of the party on the way down. "That woman looked us over well before she picked upon you. I suppose she saw that you were one who could be trusted not to forget to mail letters."

Now the point of this story is not that the girl forgot to mail the letter, for she didn't, nor that it was the man of the party who had to remind her of it, for she needed no reminding, but that just before posting the missive the girl happened to glance at its superscription. It was directed to her mother. The girl could hardly believe her eyes, yet there it was in good, plain American writing, the name of her own dear mother, whom she hadn't seen for so many months and at her own home address. The girl sent a letter home upon her own account and learned that the woman was an old friend whom the mother had not seen for many years and whom the girl had never seen, though often heard of. When the two, woman and girl, afterward met to know each other for the first time, they agreed that the Mer de Glace had supplied them with the choicest sample of coincidence in their experience.—New York Sun.

### A Test For Right or Left Handedness.

It is noted editorially in The Medico Legal Journal, New York, that in many criminal cases it becomes necessary to know whether a man is right or left handed. Quoting Dr. Hall of Denver, a high authority, the writer says:

"The matter has generally been settled by the production of witnesses, who have testified freely in many cases to a given condition when an equal number of witnesses have been brought forward who have testified to an opposite condition. In many cases the question could be better settled by an examination of the prisoner, if such an examination could be obtained, or of the corpse, in case this became desirable by a study of the cicatrices upon the hands, such as are inflicted by every man who handles tools of every kind, but especially the pocketknife. Although most left handed boys are taught to write with the right hand, I believe the knife is commonly handled with the left hand in such cases by the left handed, and many tools are used in a similar manner in various trades. In women the study could not be expected to be of so much value, and still it has proved to be fairly conclusive in many cases."

### Lovemaking In Public.

It is evident from her letter to The Ladies' Home Journal that Miss Lilian Bell finds much in Paris to interest and amuse her. Among other things that are rather novel to an American "one sees," she writes, "the comical sight of a French bride and bridegroom, in all the glory of their bridal array—white satin, veil and orange blossoms—driving through the streets in open cabs and hugging and kissing each other with an unctuous freedom which is apt to throw a conservative American into a spasm of laughter. Indeed the frank and candid way that lovemaking goes on in public among the lower classes is so amazing that at first you think you never in this world will become accustomed to it, but you get accustomed to a great many strange sights in Paris. If a kiss explodes with unusual violence in a cab near mine, it sometimes scares the horse, but it no longer disturbs me in the least. My nervousness over that sort of thing has entirely worn off."

### A Noble Steed.

It was Sir Henry Havelock Allan's boast that he could make his Arab, like the British army, "go anywhere and do anything," and there is a well authenticated story of how one day, mounted upon his horse, he called upon a friend, who received him from an upper window, with the remark, "I'll be down in a moment." "Oh, don't trouble to come down!" was the general's reply. "We'll come up to you," and he set his steed at the steps, and in a moment was in the hall and would undoubtedly have ascended to the drawing room.—New York Post.

### A Woman's Joke.

Have you heard this one: Why is a man with a bottle of mucilage in his pocket, racing at the top of his speed on a bicycle, like the July sun? The answer is, obviously, "Because he is a scorcher." But what has the bottle of mucilage to do with it? Why, that's the sticker.—Club Woman.

### His Triumph.

"Have you anything to say?" asked the sheriff, as he strapped the murderer in the electric chair.

"I just want to point out what fools those people were who said I was born to be hanged," replied the criminal, with a smile of triumph.—Philadelphia North American.

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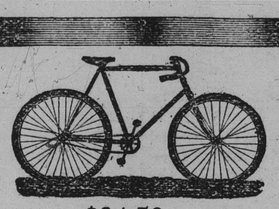

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### A Precious Bit of Shamrock.

H. Phelps Whitmarsh writes in The Century of "The Steerage of Today," his article being illustrated by Andre Castaigne. Mr. Whitmarsh draws this picture of one of his companions in the voyage that he made:

Kneeling in an upper bunk near me, a middle aged Irishman was hanging a pot containing a shamrock plant. I entered into conversation with him and learned that he was going to join his son in California, to whom he was taking the shamrock as a present.

"I hope it will live," he said, looking wistfully at the pot as it swung from the beam. "'Twas the wan thing the bhoy wanted. 'L'ave iv'ryt'ing,' says he in his letther, 'an come over. I have enough for the both of us now,' says he, 'an I can make you comfortable for the rest av your days. But,' says he, 'fetch me a livin root av shamrock if you can.'"

All Sunday we were in smooth water, running under the lee of the Irish coast. The day being fine and warm, the steerage swarmed on deck in full force. Men, women and children all crowded about the afterhatch, some playing cards, some dancing and some already making love, but for the most part they lay about the deck, sleeping and basking in the sun. In the afternoon my friend the Irishman appeared with his shamrock. He wanted to give it a "taste" of fresh air, he said. At sight of it many of the Irish girls shed tears; then, seating themselves about the old man, they sang plaintive Irish melodies until the sun went down. The sad faces of the homesick girls and the old father sitting among them, holding in his lap the precious little bit of green, presented a sight not easily to be forgotten.

### The Artist and His Work.

The life of a painter, above all of a portrait painter, is one long succession of such problems, varying with the nature of the subject in kind and degree of difficulty. It follows naturally that his processes must vary, too, requiring a longer or shorter time in the working out, for which no infallible rule will serve him. In mechanical labor the rate of the machine's pulse may be gauged with certainty, the moment of completion accurately fixed beforehand. But it is not so in art. There all depends upon conditions that seem to be hourly changing. The mood of the artist, his distrust of the scheme attempted or his entire confidence in it; the state of his nerves, of his general health, nay, even the state of the weather, all affect his work. One day it advances well, but on the next self criticism steps in to impede him, and he gains nothing. The scoffing Philistine ascribes these halts and retrogressions to the weakness of the artistic temperament. Yet they are due to the work rather than to the workman; to the fact that he follows an art and not a trade. No artist can be entirely exempt from this oppressive influence, which arises afresh at each new effort with as many heads as Hydra. There are those, indeed, who estimate the value of their product by the depth and number of the despairs it has engendered.—T. R. Sullivan in Scribner's.

### Irreverent Jokes.

We have observed with regret that newspaper witticisms containing irreverent expressions have greatly multiplied of late and that some so called highly respectable publications aid in their circulation. It is not probable that any harm is intended to be done by those who coin or those who publish these objectionable effusions. In many cases at least they are doubtless the result of an exuberant humor that has not been sufficiently chastened by culture and which is consequently allowed to throw off the check of reason. An aged clergyman, who long conducted a religious journal, adopted a rule in regard to this matter which, we think, is a good one. He said, "Whenever a joke reflects at all upon religion or is calculated to raise merriment at the expense of things usually held sacred I will not publish it, but if it is innocent of these objections or turns the laugh upon the devil I cheerfully give it a place."—New York Ledger.

### Plenty of Work.

Allison, the historian, in 1830 writes to the editor of Blackwood:

"I have settled to send you for your next number in August:

"First.—An article on reform.

"Second.—A review of Salvandy's 'History of Poland.'

"Third.—A review of Dr. Christison's work (on poisons).

"I will send you the Salvandy on Tuesday morning, July 12; the article on reform on Friday evening, July 15; Dr. Christison's review on Monday or Tuesday, the 18th or 19th."

Mrs. Oliphant, whose pen has been one of the most prolific in our own day and who must have known what she was writing about, adds:

"Three articles in a week! 'Maga' has many hardworking servants with whose habits the present writer has some acquaintance, but upon this record we look with awe."—Exchange.

### He Rides Free.

An English paper says that Bishop Ellicott of Gloucester enjoys the privilege of being allowed to travel on any railway in England free of charge. This unusual favor was conferred upon him by the various officials in recognition of his heroic exertions in admiuistering spiritual consolation to the dying victims in a railway accident near Tottenham, notwithstanding his own very serious injuries. This was while the bishop was still a young man.

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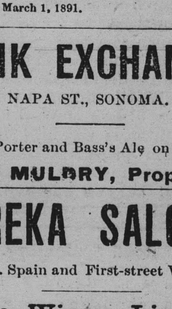

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